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VIA HAND-DELIVERY:

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RE: Petition of the South Carolina Telephone Coalition for a Determination that  
Wireless Carriers are Providing Radio-Based Local Exchange Services in South  
Carolina that Compete with Local Telecommunications Services Provided in the  
State (Docket No. 2015-290-C)  
**Appellate Case No. 2016-000731**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

On behalf of Appellant, CTIA – THE WIRELESS ASSOCIATION®, I hereby withdraw  
the Appellant's appeal. I have discussed this matter with counsel for the South Carolina  
Telephone Coalition ("SCTC") and the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("SCORS"),  
and these parties (the other parties to this appeal) have no objection to this withdrawal.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to  
contact me. Thank you for your assistance with this matter. With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,

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